NEBRASKA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

ADC 468 NAC 2-009

2-009 Income

2-009.01 Standard of Need: represents the regular recurring monthly amount The standard of need is a consolidation of items necessary for basic subsistence and is used to calculate a unit's ADC benefit amount. Included in this The standard of need represents the monthly aggregate cost of are food, clothing, sundries, home supplies, utilities, laundry, and shelter, including. (Shelter includes rent, mortgage payment, taxes, and insurance.) Also included in this standard amount are meals prepared away from home, therapeutic diet, meals furnished to a household employee, transportation other than for employment, subsistence to obtain medical care, moving expenses, Social Security tax paid to an approved household employee, back taxes, furniture, appliances, etc.

<u>2-009.01A Standard of Need Chart</u>: Effective July 1, 2013 <u>2015</u>, the standard of need by unit size for theto determineation of eligibility and payment is as follows:

Number in Uni	t 1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	541	667	793	919	1,045	1,171	1,297	1,423	1,549	1,675
Standard	529	652	775	898	1,021	1,144	1,269	1,392	1,515	1,638

For each additional eligible individual, the standard of need increases by \$126. One hundred twenty-three dollars are added for each eligible individual.

The standard of need for a grandparent whose income is deemed to a minor parent is \$529; \$123 are added for each additional individual whose income is considered.

Note: Even if a woman has verification that she is expecting twins or a multiple birth, the grant unit may be increased by only one unborn in the final trimester.